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## NEWS

September 2006

### Free ADSL Broadband Install Save \$99 during September!

Signup for any Quickfire Broadband plan with Direct Dial Tolls on a 12 month term, and receive a **FREE installation worth up to \$99\***



Quickfire Broadband gives you superfast internet, and because it doesn't tie up your phoneline, there's no more arguing over missed calls!

All Quickfire Broadband plans come with a generous download allowance, and NZ nationwide data is included FREE with your plan. This means any visits to websites such as Trademe or NZ Herald, or emails to NZ addresses, don't count towards your download allowance.

Our free install offer is available to homes or businesses wanting to make the switch to Quickfire Broadband. To find out more about Quickfire Broadband visit:

[www.quicksilver.co.nz/broadband](http://www.quicksilver.co.nz/broadband)

Conditions: Free install offer applies to applications for connection to Quickfire Broadband with Quicksilver Direct Dial Tolls. A 12 month minimum term & \$100 early disconnection fee applies. Free installation or transfer, worth up to \$99, applies to 'self-install' option only. Where additional wiring is required, a \$149 wiring charge may apply.

### Ways to Pay your Quicksilver Invoice

Quicksilver accepts payments in many convenient forms.

To find out more about ways you can pay your Quicksilver invoice, please see:

[www.quicksilver.co.nz/members/help/payments/](http://www.quicksilver.co.nz/members/help/payments/)

### Quicksilver Offices Moved

As part of the move to merge Quicksilver and Woosh, Quicksilver has now moved out of the old offices in Parnell, and into the Woosh offices in Newmarket.

Our new office address is now:

11-15 Railway Street,  
Newmarket, Auckland.

PO Box 9635, Newmarket, Auckland.

Please note that our helpdesk staff are not located in the Railway Street office, but as always are available on our tollfree number 0800 QUICKSILVER (0800 784 257) from 8:30am to 10pm, 7 days a week.

### Trademe Phishing Emails

Last month we saw a new fraudulent email doing the rounds, this time pretending to be sent via Trademe. The email looks like a question from a potential buyer on your auction, and even goes so far as to feature a real auction number, and a real Trademe user's name. The email tries to trick you into entering your Trademe username and password onto a fake website.

To be safe, avoid clicking on website addresses from within an email, instead type the address or use your own Favourites/Bookmark link in your web browser.

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**Tollfree Helpdesk:** 0508 QSILVER (0508 774583)

Open 8.30am-10pm, 7 days. (Public Holidays 9am-5pm)

## **Woosh makes spectrum deal with SKY - A boost for Wimax**

Wednesday, 28 July 2006

Woosh Wireless and SKY Television announced today that they had entered into long term arrangements in respect of provision of pay TV services. As part of the deal Woosh has secured rights over 2.3GHz spectrum owned by SKY.

"This is the next step in our evolving business strategy as Woosh moves to being a fully convergent kiwi telecommunications services company. Wimax will inevitably be part of any full service telecommunications business. Securing SKY as our pay TV content partner is a major boost for Woosh especially as we start to move towards Internet Television or IPTV" said Rod Inglis, Woosh's Chairman.

Woosh already has spectrum rights and arrangements with other rights holders to give it the capacity to deliver the fast evolving full suite of Wimax services. Inglis says "You need at least 50MHz of spectrum to be confident you can match up to the future demands that will emerge with Wimax deployment in New Zealand."

John Fellet, SKY Television Chief Executive said, "SKY believes there is an exciting future in delivering content services over Wimax. Woosh has emerged as one the nation's leaders in broadband wireless and we look forward to working together. We support Woosh's view that normal spectrum renewal rights be granted to enable rapid deployment of Wimax services."

Inglis advises that Woosh investors are committed to a substantial build out using the spectrum.

Wimax is a Broadband wireless standard, often called Wifi on Steroids, initially promoted by Intel and now adopted by many of the worlds' leading wireless technology vendors.

Partnerships with third party platform providers such as Woosh form an integral part of SKY's strategy to deliver to consumers "what they want, when they want it, on any device. In the United States, satellite TV operator, DirecTV, has announced US\$2B to support a broadband wireless rollout offering phone, broadband and pay TV services. This follows similar major announcements by SprintNextel and Clearwire in the USA totalling billions of dollars. Intel, Motorola and Craig McCraw, a billionaire wireless pioneer, are funding the Clearwire deployment.

In Australia the satellite TV operator Austar has announced a widespread WiMax rollout to complement its pay TV services and a similar offering from Unwired in Australia's urban areas.

Under New Zealand's progressive spectrum management regime Woosh has been able to conclude deals with Telecom and SKY; spectrum in the 2.3 GHz band (a Wimax standard) has been consolidated and reconfigured so that it can provide broadband services using the Wimax technology that is now becoming available. Woosh intends continuing with its current UMTS standard TDD network which operates in the 2.0 GHz band. WiMax will be an overlay in the network.

# Surfing with Quicksilver

## FATHERS DAY 4TH SEP

### **Fathers Day NZ Website**

[www.fathers.day.co.nz](http://www.fathers.day.co.nz)

### **Buy Gifts Online**

[www.browniepoints.co.nz](http://www.browniepoints.co.nz)

<http://tinyurl.com/pd4qf>

[www.thegiftstation.co.nz](http://www.thegiftstation.co.nz)

[www.sendsational.co.nz](http://www.sendsational.co.nz)

[www.isubscribe.co.nz](http://www.isubscribe.co.nz)

[www.wineplus.co.nz](http://www.wineplus.co.nz)

### **Online Greeting Cards**

**Yahoo**

<http://tinyurl.com/nnwbq>

**Hallmark**

[www.hallmark.com](http://www.hallmark.com)

### **Hipster Cards**

<http://tinyurl.com/rqxjb>

### **Activities to do with Dad**

**Mini Golf Onehunga**

[www.mgo.co.nz](http://www.mgo.co.nz)

**Auckland Museum**

[www.aucklandmuseum.com](http://www.aucklandmuseum.com)

**Motat**

[www.motat.org.nz](http://www.motat.org.nz)

**Sailing School**

[www.pennywhiting.com](http://www.pennywhiting.com)

**Restaurant Reviews**

[www.dineout.co.nz](http://www.dineout.co.nz)

[www.menus.co.nz](http://www.menus.co.nz)

### **Breakfast/Brunch Recipes**

**Allyson Gofton**

<http://tinyurl.com/nkfnq>

**Taste Mag Brunch Recipes**

<http://tinyurl.com/ogljr>

